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## **NEWS RELEASE**

To: Local Media

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## **COVID-19 Weekday Update**

As of today at 2:00pm, there have been 10,611 confirmed positive cases of COVID-19 in the State of Wisconsin. Statewide, 418 individuals have died due to complications related to COVID-19. In Rock County, there have been a total of 369 confirmed positive cases, an increase of 8 from this time yesterday, and a total of 13 COVID-19 related deaths. There have been a minimum of 3,553 negative tests results reported in our county, 175 of those being reported today.

As of this morning, our Rock County hospitals- Mercyhealth, SSM Health St. Mary's Hospital- Janesville, Edgerton Hospital and Health Services, and Beloit Health System- are providing in-patient care for 17 patients who have tested positive for COVID-19, a decrease of 3 from yesterday. Please keep in mind that hospital census changes frequently.

Please visit our website, <u>www.co.rock.wi.us/publichealth</u> for additional local COVID-19 information updated daily.

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